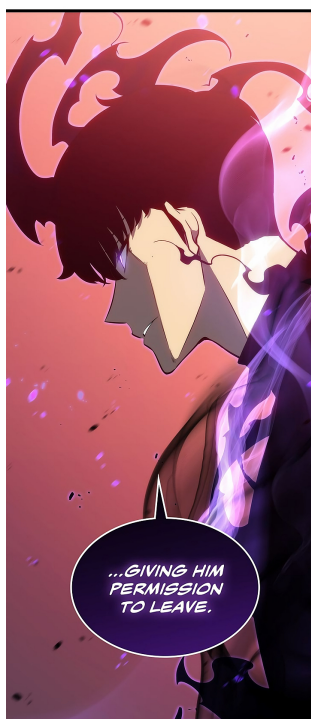


I DON'T
RECALL....



Solo Leveling

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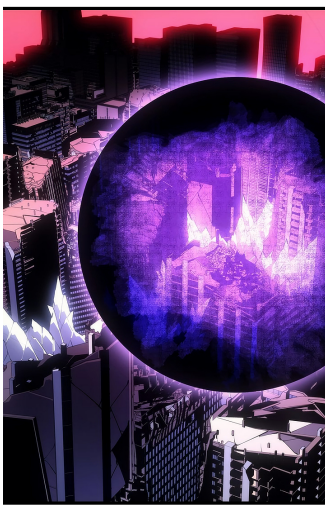
A WALL.

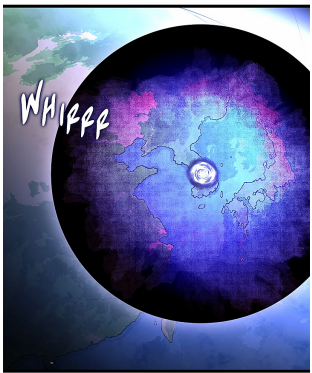
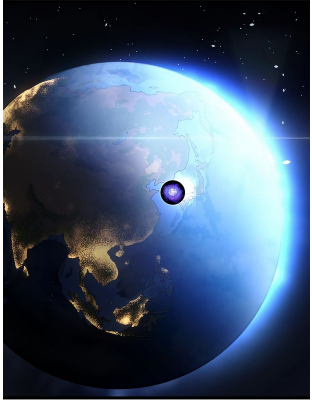
THERE IS AN
INSURMOUNTABLE
WALL THAT
SEPARATES US.

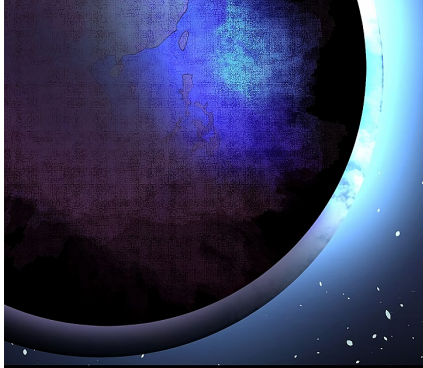


THE DIFFERENCE
BETWEEN US IS
TOO GREAT!









THE MONARCH OF
FROST INSTINCTIVELY
SENSED...

...AN OPENING.

HE KNEW THAT IT WAS
AN OPPORTUNITY THAT
WOULD NEVER COME
AGAIN.

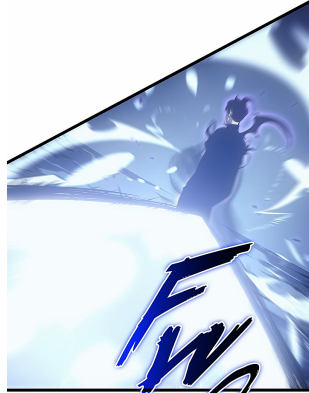
THERE MAY BE A
HUGE DIFFERENCE IN
POWER BETWEEN US,
BUT I CAN'T BELIEVE
HE TOOK HIS EYE OFF
HIS OPPONENT.

IF I MISS
THIS CHANCE,
DEATH WILL BE
INEVITABLE.

RZZZT



I MUST PUT AN
END TO ALL THIS
WITH A SINGLE
BLOW.







THIS IS THE
POWER OF THE
MONARCH OF
SHADOWS!

THE GREATEST
FRAGMENT OF
BRILLIANT LIGHT., AND
ONE OF THE MOST
POWERFUL KINGS
THERE IS.

I'M GOING TO
SAVE YOU FOR
LAST.

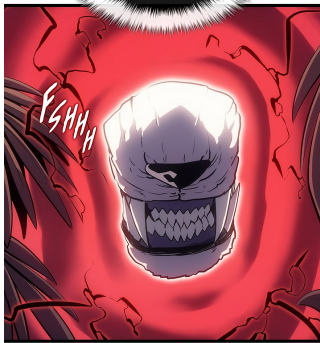


WAIT THERE
WHILE I TAKE
CARE OF THE
BEAST.





DEATH
IS CLOSING IN
ON ME. I CAN
FEEL IT.



I SHOULDN'T
HAVE WASTED TIME
ARGUING WITH THE
MONARCH OF FROST.
IT DELAYED MY
ESCAPE.





BUT NOW THAT IT'S
COME TO THIS, I HAVE
NO CHOICE BUT TO
LIE LOW HERE UNTIL
THE DRAGON KING
ARRIVES...







I'VE LEARNED
FROM EXPERIENCE
HOW TERRIFYING THIS
POWER CAN BE.



"BOW DOWN
AND OBEY."

*THAT'S WHAT MY
INSTINCTS ARE
TELLING ME.*

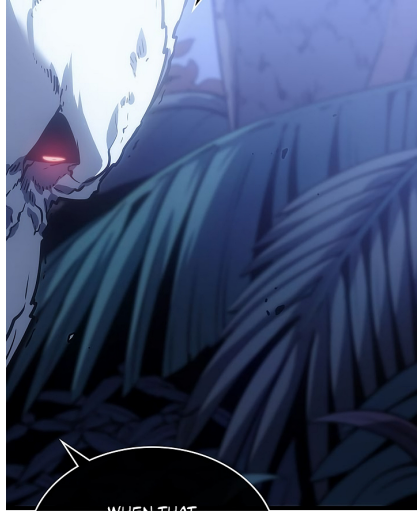


OH, MONARCH OF
SHADOWS I, THE
KING OF BEASTS,
DO NOT WISH TO
FIGHT YOU.

PLEASE FORGIVE
ME FOR MY SINS
AND ACCEPT ME
AS AN ALLY.

THE DRAGON KING
WILL SOON DESCEND
UPON THIS LAND WITH
HIS SOLDIERS.





WHEN THAT
HAPPENS, MY ARMY OF
BEASTS AND I SHALL
ASSIST YOU.



VERY WELL.

VERY WELL?



HA, THAT FOOL!
HE'S A FAKE.

THE REAL
SHADOW MONARCH
WOULD NEVER
FORGIVE A TRAITOR
LIKE ME.

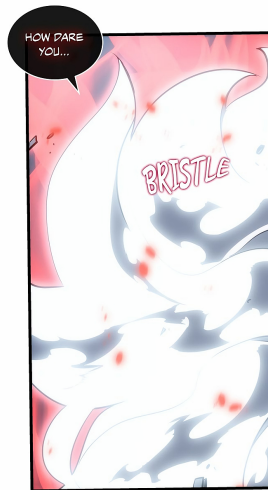
I HAVE NOT
ONLY BETRAYED HIM
ONCE BEFORE, BUT ALSO
ATTEMPTED TO DESTROY
THE VESSEL THAT WOULD
ALLOW HIM TO COME
HERE.

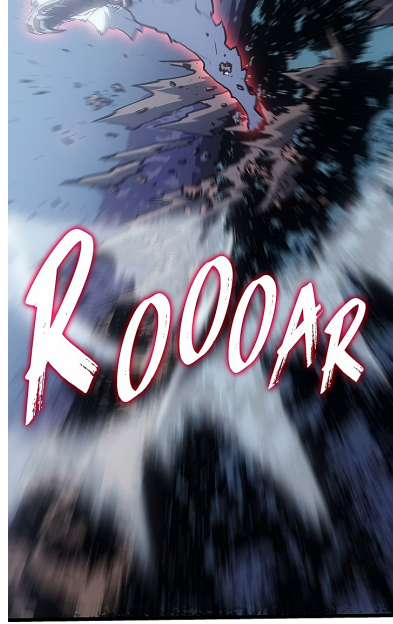


THE HUMAN'S STUPID
KINDNESS HAS BROUGHT
ME SOME TIME. NOW I
JUST NEED TO WAIT
UNTIL THE DRAGON
KING ARRIVES.

THEN I'LL
RIP HIM TO SHREDS
AND DEVOUR HIS
CORPSE.







MY LIFE ENDS HERE,
BUT YOU WILL NOT
GET OUT OF THIS
UNSCATHED!















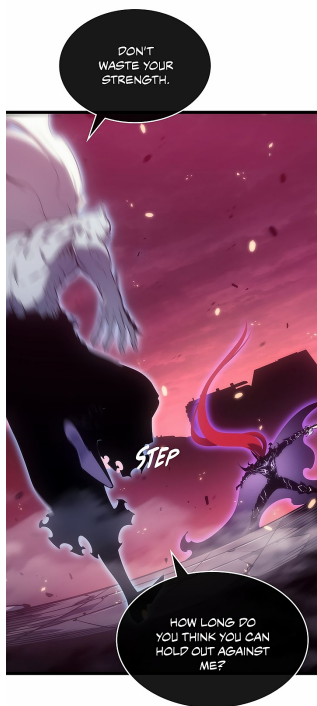


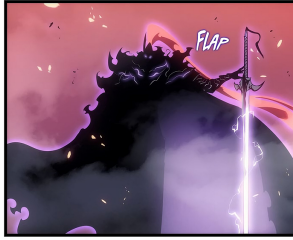
CAN HE NOW
HARNESS ALL OF
HIS POWERS...? HOW
TROUBLESOME.



THESE
SHADOW SOLDIERS CAN
REGENERATE AGAIN AND
AGAIN UNTIL THE SHADOW
MONARCH'S MANA IS
DEPLETED.


BUT I
CAN'T RECOVER THE
MANA USED UP BY
MY SPIRITUAL BODY
MANIFESTATION...
THIS ISN'T GOOD.





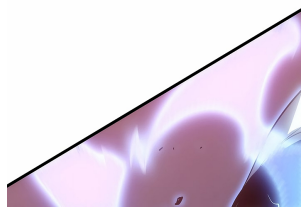


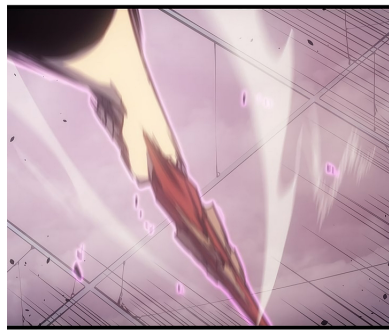
HE KILLED THE
MONARCH OF FANS
IN THE FEW MINUTES
HE WAS GONE!



THE MONARCH OF PLAGUES, THE MONARCH OF FANGS, AND THE MONARCH OF FROST.







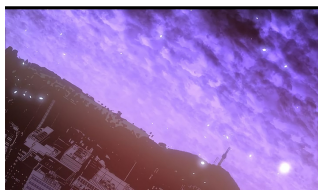


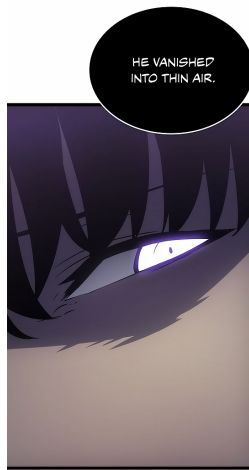
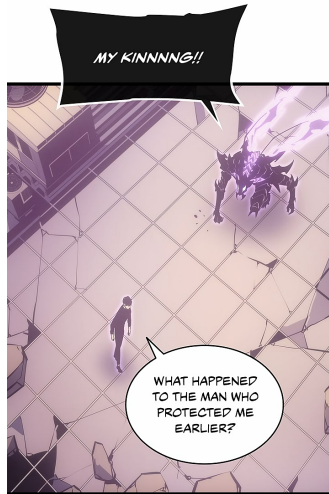
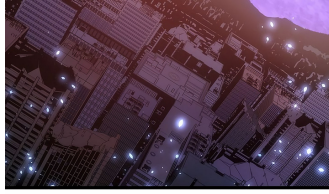
THE MONARCH
OF FANGS DIED
ON THE FOURTH
STRIKE.

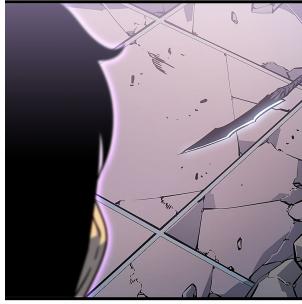


I WONDER
HOW LONG YOU'LL
LAST.















DID YOU
REALLY THINK
I WOULDN'T
NOTICE?



ARE YOU GOING
TO LEAVE AGAIN
WITHOUT SAYING
A WORD?



FATHER...?



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